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In re application of:
Yukichi ONO, et al.

Serial No.: 10/697,074

Filed: October 30, 2003

For: SEMICONDUCTOR INTEGRATED CIRCUIT
DEVICE AND ITS MANUFACTURE USING
AUTOMATIC LAYOUT

Confirmation No.: 8114

Date of Notice of Allowance:
April 22, 2005

Group Art Unit: 2826

Examiner: FAZLI ERDEM

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The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a timely response to the Notice of Allowance dated April 22, 2005, which set a three-month period to pay the required Issue Fee and Publication Fee. A Notice of Abandonment was issued on September 26, 2005.

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The applicant hereby respectfully petitions for revival of this application. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 16-1805 of the Petition Fee in the amount of \$1,500.00 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(m) (fee code 1453). The following are also enclosed as required for this Petition:

- a) Issue Fee and Publication Fee Transmittal dated July 21, 2005 in response to the Notice of Allowance dated April 22, 2005.
- b) Form PTOL 85 dated July 21, 2005.
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Respectfully submitted,

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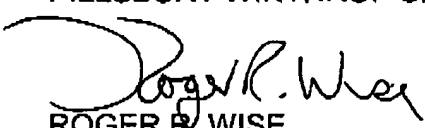
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